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Is renting a cottage a business?

Oxtongue Lake woman says she's doing nothing wrong, but Algonquin Highlands council taking a different view

by **ANDY LLOYD**
Times staff

There's a fine line between renting a cottage and running a commercial rental business, but it's a line Algonquin Highlands is attempting to draw.

One case on Oxtongue Lake, currently before council, may eventually set a precedent on the issue for the municipality.

Earlier this summer, Bill Kennedy, a resident on the lake, sent a letter to council alleging that one of his neighbours is running a commercial rental business at her cottage. He said she is renting it to large groups of people, often for events like weddings and corporate retreats. These groups, Kennedy said, are loud and dis-

ruptive to cottagers on Oxtongue Lake.

The property's owner, Paula Williamson, advertises her cottage on a website run by Paramount Vacation Property Management. She also owns Paramount Recreation, a company that rents personal watercraft, jet boats, ATV's and snowmobiles out of Huntsville. Her property, referred to as Wolf Ridge Cottage Retreat goes for \$5,000 a week in the summer.

Williamson says hers is the largest property on Oxtongue Lake, with 1,640 feet of frontage and 35 acres. The main cottage sleeps 12 people and an adjacent guest cabin sleeps two.

Council, sympathetic to Kennedy's concerns, sent Williamson a letter asking her to tone down her rental activities. But in her reply, Williamson denied that she is doing anything wrong.

Next Algonquin Highlands asked its lawyer and a planner to review the case, to determine if the use at Wolf Ridge is commercial. The municipality's chief administrative officer, Gerald Bain, says both agreed that under zoning bylaw 98-08, Williamson's use goes above and beyond what is permitted in a residential zone.

So what is permitted? Bain says a home in a residential zone is referred to as a single family dwelling, meaning only one family can occupy the dwelling. So technically, renting a single family dwelling to a group of people who do not constitute a family is in contravention of the bylaw.

However, in the municipality's new comprehensive zoning bylaw, which passed earlier this

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HAVE walks keep water flowing

by **SHERYL LOUCKS**
Times Staff

Help A Village Effort has successfully raised \$51,000 this year across Canada that will be spent on 51 fresh projects to develop fresh water wells in third world countries.

Ron Reid, HAVE spokesperson, says in Haliburton, where HAVE originated, they decided to try something different from the annual walk-a-thon format. This year HAVE chose to hold a Choose Your Own Adventure summer and it was incredibly successful. People or groups were free to choose any date that suited them to hold a walk or event to raise money and Reid says there were three major events, including one group who chose to go kayaking.

In Newfoundland, HAVE founder Gerry Feltham had a

very successful event and in Winnipeg Beach, Manitoba, Kathy Gudnason just recently had a walk with more than 100 walkers. Ironically, Reid says Gudnason knew the company that HAVE uses as a supplier of the pumps for the wells.

Reid says he and his wife Toos have organized a HAVE walk for 20 years and it was becoming increasingly difficult to get volunteers and a date that everyone could agree on. They came up with this new idea and were shocked at the results.

"It's been awesome. It worked out phenomenally well. We've had a lot more people involved, a lot more groups, people really like it," says Reid.

About \$8,000 has been raised in Haliburton County this summer for the cause. Reid says the kids in his church, Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, are already plotting what they would like to do for next year.

The focus for HAVE this year will be rural India. Reid says Ish Lal from Lindsay will be going over to visit some of the projects later this year.



Children members of Our Lady Fatima Church participated in the 'Walk for Water' fund-raising initiative in June to fund new water wells in Third World nations. The combined donations from other H.A.V.E. walks in Newfoundland and Winnipeg are anticipated to raise a total of \$50,000, which will be matched by the Canadian International Development Agency. The money will go towards 50 well projects that aim to provide clean drinking water to indigenous villages, mostly in India, by March of next year. About 17 children, aged between seven and 13, made the 2.5 km walk from Archie Stouffer Elementary School to the Church in Minden.

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County passes Official Plan, will now hire a planner

by MARTHA PERKINS
Times staff

Now that it has passed its first Official Plan, Haliburton County will hire a planner to help implement it.

At Wednesday's county council meeting, local politicians signed off on the three-year process to provide an overview of the balancing act between protecting the environment and allowing for growth and development.

Council deliberately took a "broad brush" approach to the plan, preferring to have municipal Official Plans cover all the fine details.

Once it is approved by the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing it will give the county more responsibilities and powers than it currently enjoys.

For instance, once the OP is approved proposals for subdivisions and condominiums will be submitted to the county instead of the ministry for review.

"It puts more control in the hands of elected politicians," CAO Gary King said after the meeting. "They are familiar with the area and development pressures."

The decision to hire a development services co-ordinator/planner also coincides with the retirement of Lois Warburton, secretary of the county's land division committee. The new person will assume Warburton's responsibilities as well as work with the county's environment and planning advisory committee.

Council agreed to a salary range of \$46,500 to \$55,000. The job will be posted locally as well as on the web.

Meanwhile, council praised planning consultant Gary Davidson for his help in overseeing the official plan process.

"It was a very open process and he did a great job," said Dysart et al Murray Fearrey.

The plan includes five maps:

- a settlement patterns map outlining where there are residential areas
- a fish and wildlife habitat map, which includes such things as osprey nesting sites and deer wintering areas
- an environment map, which outlines the location of wetlands and areas of natural and scientific interest
- a land ownership map, which identifies public and crown land, as well as the portion of Algonquin Park within the county's borders
- and the resources map, which identifies the locations of aggregates and old growth forests.

Davidson met with Environment Haliburton to discuss the plan, which has also been approved by the county's environment and planning advisory committee.

The four municipalities in the county are in various stages of having their OPs either drafted or updated to coincide with the county plan. All municipalities have at least had one public meeting and will meet the deadlines for approval.

"We're all in synch now," Davidson said.

County warden Ross Rigney said "It's been a long journey but we made the trip."

It's expected the ministry will take three months to approve the county's plan.

Horseshoe Lake beach is safe for swimming

A sign posted at the beach on Horseshoe Lake appears to have been removed from the Rotary Beach in Minden. The sign is one issued by the Health Unit stating that the area is closed to swimming.

The Horseshoe Lake beach, above the dam at the white-water preserve, has not been closed by the Health Unit.

Horseshoe Lake Property Owners' Association President Randy Ward speculates that someone took the sign from Rotary Park and placed it at the Horseshoe Lake beach as a prank. He assures everyone that the water is safe for swimming.



Lois Rigney and other dedicated volunteers hope the Village Green project on Minden's main street will be completed in time for Thanksgiving this year

The Village Green becomes a reality thanks to generosity of community, and hard work

by SHERYL LOUCKS
Times Staff

The Village Green is no longer a drawing but a reality in downtown Minden thanks to the efforts of community volunteers.

Lois Rigney says in October 2002 she gathered a committee together because she wanted to see a park in the empty space between the CIBC and the book store. She chose former Reeve Jeanne Anthon, flower expert Pat Campbell and Ann Cherry to help her move the project forward. The women met and took their ideas to Minden Hills council.

The council requested they get a design drawing. Verne Bernsmead, an architectural landscape designer, completed one. Council approved the drawing on March 13, 2003 and Rigney says they were enthusiastic about the project.

The space between Main Street and the parking lot on Percy Street chosen for the Village Green is not a traditional open space. The S.W. Welch General Store and Idle Hour Tea Room were there in the laneway, the E.A. Rogers General Store, with a restaurant behind it, sat a spell there and in the parking lot was once an ice house and a Feed Bank.

Today Rigney is working hard to see people "sit a spell" instead of a building in the space. The park started taking shape a few years ago when the Minden Horticultural Society began a lovely circular garden in the front of the park near the street, but a community group will maintain the rest of the gardens planned for the Village Green.

Rigney says work started this spring and she thought the park would be done by mid-summer with an official opening in late August before the cottagers left. She now says it was a totally unrealistic idea and admits to having no real concept prior to beginning about how much work it would actually take to create the vision for the Village Green.

The group raised money for flowers, plants, trees, topsoil, paving stones and benches. Rigney says they estimated the cost of the benches at \$200 apiece and discovered the real price was closer to \$600. They have special designed bolts and sturdy construction to withstand heavy use. Fund-raising is on going for two more benches.

She says plaques were installed on the five benches purchased so far in honour of the donors and plaques have also been made for the trees donated. Not all of the plaques are in yet.

A donation account for the Village Green has been set up in the neighbouring CIBC. Rigney has had people give her money while she was weeding in the Green. One young man she sent over to the bank suggesting that he make the donation of a "ten spot". He came back to tell her he'd

donated \$20. For that the stranger got a big hug.

Mervin Johnston donated the beautiful large pieces of limestone that have been placed along the new path and are being used to edge the garden. He was also responsible for bringing the stones in and placing them.

A group from Ontario Works came to turn over the sod and lay the topsoil for the new gardens. Rigney says the group has done invaluable work. She also had assistance once from a hard-working young man who was doing some community service work. She is looking forward to giving a formal thank-you to all those involved in the Village Green when it is completed.

Using Campbell's expertise to pick the right plants, the committee has planted flowering shrubs that will come out at different times and attractive low maintenance ground cover.

Rigney says when it came to laying the paving stones in a pretty circular pattern she discovered the job was finicky and difficult. Barry Cray and Dave Johnson came to the rescue and spent three days just leveling the area where the circle was placed.

Several trees have been planted including a Service Berry Tree to match those already on the Main Street and a crab apple tree that unfortunately has suffered from some damage. It is bearing fruit so at least it is still alive.

The most interesting tree story, though, is about the birch. The fellow who delivered the tree did not bring the equipment it would take to get the tree from the truck to its home in the Green. Undaunted, Rigney nabbed three young men right off the street and cajoled them into rolling the tree over to where it needed to be planted.

The Minden Rotary Club is undertaking the task of leveling the area near the back of the Green, close to the parking lot, in order to install a Gazebo donated by Pioneer Petroleum. The gazebo is currently sitting alongside Highway 35 at the former Dave's On 35.

"We want this to be a happening place with music and events; maybe an artist can show some works here. It does my heart good to see folks having a rest. The husband drops off his wife so she can sit a spell while he finishes shopping. It's the kind of shady little place every community needs," says Rigney.

Her new goal is to have the main work for the Village Green completed by an official opening on Thanksgiving. Donations are still required to purchase the remaining two benches needed and plants such as perennials they are planning for one of the gardens. Donations can be made at the CIBC or by contacting Rigney at 286-1765. She says donations of time are equally valuable. A challenge has been sent out to the lake associations to match Canning Lake residents' contributions amounting to about \$1,000.

Police lay charges after ATV hit-and-run injures officer

by ERIN TENNANT
Times staff

Two teenagers could face sentences of up to 10 years each following a recent ATV hit-and-run that resulted in one OPP officer being injured.

An 18-year-old Irondale male and a 19-year-old Snowdon Township man were arrested early last week after several tip-offs from the public.

The 18-year-old was driving the ATV that struck Const. Jon King on the Essonville Line on August 22. The ATV driver has been charged with eight offences. One of the charges alone, dangerous driving causing bodily harm, carries a maximum prison term of 10 years if convicted in a provincial court.

He had been driving the ATV on the county road west of Wilberforce – which is off-limits to off-road vehicles – when King flagged him down at an unrelated traffic stop at approximately 8:15 p.m..

The Irondale teenager indicated he was slowing down, then accelerated and hit the Haliburton Highlands OPP officer.

A second OPP patrol car at the scene then gave chase but abandoned the pursuit a short time later because of public safety concerns.

The ATV driver has also been charged with driving while under suspension; he was driving the ATV on a county road, which means that the four-wheeler is considered a motor vehicle under the Highway Traffic Act.

His capture last Monday was soon followed by the arrest of the Snowdon teen on Tuesday night. The 19-year-old has been charged with three offences, including public mischief (reporting a crime that did not take place), and fraud to a value of more than \$5,000. The second charge carries a maximum 10-year sentence.

The two teenagers will next appear at Provincial Court in Minden on November 5.

Cottage owner vows to fight for rental right

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summer, there doesn't appear to be any mention of "single family" dwellings. A dwelling is defined as "a permanently affixed building occupied as the home, residence or living quarters for one or more persons." And Williamson says her cottage is zoned rural residential, which permits a "single detached dwelling". By that definition she doesn't understand what the problem is.

According to Williamson, Paramount Vacation Property Management represents over 50 cottage properties that don't rent exclusively to "single families". Despite this she estimates that 90 per cent of her renters are families anyway.

Williamson recently received a letter from Algonquin Highlands which she says accused her of renting her cottage to corporate groups, a claim she has repeatedly denied. "We got the letter and it was like, 'ok we're not doing this, so we're not sure what you're talking about.' I think they thought it was being run like a resort but that's just not the case." Now, she's not sure what exactly council wants her to do. Basically the letter Williamson received asked her to stop doing something she says she's not doing in the first place.

Williamson admits that in the past she did rent her cottage for weddings and corporate events. But she says she hasn't done that for several years now.

Algonquin Highlands Deputy Reeve Don Shortreed says he isn't familiar with the particular legalities of the zoning bylaw that apply to Williamson's case. But he says council is simply asking her to comply with the bylaw.

That's a request Williamson still doesn't understand. "There's nothing we do that's illegal," Williamson says. "I rent it to individuals, not corporations. It's almost entirely used for family vacations."

She estimates the cottage is rented about 50 per cent of the year. When it's not rented, she uses it.

Williamson still denies any allegations that she's running her cottage as a commercial business. In fact, she says there are hundreds of people in Muskoka and Haliburton who rent cottages through

Internet websites like Paramount Vacation to both families and non-family groups.

Her parents used to own the property and Williamson herself has been vacationing on Oxtongue Lake since she was seven years old.

She admits there is definitely more activity at the cottage compared to when her parents owned it. Her renters often bring personal watercraft and boats to the lake. But Williamson says she and her friends probably make more noise than renters do.

From the beginning, her Oxtongue Lake neighbours didn't approve of renters at Wolf Ridge. Williamson says cottagers on the lake circulated a petition to show their displeasure.

"They didn't even give me a chance to work together with them and compromise," Williamson recalls. "It's just odd, the animosity people have as opposed to just talking about it."

That animosity surprises Williamson, who considers herself a responsible member of the community. Last year she donated \$3,000 to the Oxtongue Lake fire department and for eight weekends every year she donates her cottage to charities such as the Heart and Stroke Foundation.

She thinks if Algonquin Highlands comes after her, they will be setting a dangerous precedent for people who rent their cottages. "They'll open a can of worms. They'll have to shut every rental cottage down."

"You'll have a lot of people upset. Being able to make money off your vacation property is good for tourism. It's good for the economy," Williamson says.

Mr. Kennedy, who initially complained about Williamson's property, refused to speak to *The Times* about the situation.

Williamson is confident that she isn't doing anything wrong. And if Algonquin Highlands chooses to pursue this case, she'll fight. "If it comes down to it, I'm more than prepared to come back with legal action as well."

With more and more people renting cottages in the area, a decision on exactly what kind of "renting" is allowed could affect many cottage owners in Algonquin Highlands.

Big Brothers/Sisters thriving after just a year

A year old but growing fast, the Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Haliburton and Kawartha Counties recently raised \$17,354 in the midst of an enormous thunderstorm.

The organization sold 230 tickets at \$30 each for their first silent/live auction evening.

In Haliburton, the agency is now serving 24 children through big bunches (trips/fun events for whole groups of kids), tradition big brother/big sister matches, in-school mentoring or e-mentoring (internet matches). The agency has

two social workers who match volunteers to children. Loughheed says the goal is to increase the current number of adult volunteers for the in-school mentoring program.

The next fund-raiser will be a charity golf tournament to be held at the Blairhampton Golf course on October 3. Last year, there were 51 players and this year the agency is looking for 72 players. Anyone interested in more information about the tournament or Big Brothers and Big Sisters should contact Patti-Lou Robinson at 705 324-6800.

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Municipal issues dominate Mountain Lk. AGM

by ERIN TENNANT
Times staff

The Mountain Lake Property Association held its annual general meeting at the Twin Lakes resort on August 23, with about 60 association members in attendance.

After the minutes of the last AGM were passed, treasurer Ruth Benson went over the financial report for the year since May 2002, announcing \$10,320 in total income and \$9,030 in expenses.

A motion was then passed to contribute another \$500 towards the HHHS hospital fund. Dale Walker was there to thank the association for the funds and give an update on the building projects at Minden and Haliburton. Her fund expects to pay off the remaining \$1.5 million debt in the next four years, she said. "I hope you never have to use the facilities but you know that they are there."

The executive director of Trails and Tours, Lindsay Elder, was next to speak, updating members on the state of recreational trails in the county. Elder spoke about the \$466,000 provincial government grant - requiring matching funds from the county - that will go towards developing trails in the area. "One of the major things we'll be doing is signage - letting people know where the trails are and what's on them." She also flagged the Trails and Tours' Adopt-A-Metre program for trail enthusiasts - \$25 per metre and a small plaque - and mentioned the \$300,000 grant over the next two years for Hike Haliburton to develop its 300 kilometres of hiking trails.

Council reeve Ross Rigney was the next speaker. He highlighted the pressing need to find new ways of dealing with the municipality's garbage. "We're going to have to take a hard look at where we'll go for land-fill sites," said Rigney. "It's such an expensive thing that we will have to go to the upper tier [the county council]."

"The Shield we have here is like a big bucket. The garbage just keeps accumulating."

"Regardless of whether it affects our water systems today, it will tomorrow."

Councillor Peter Oyler then addressed the



Mountain Lake Association president Ken Lewis hands over a \$500 cheque to Dale Walker from the HHHS Foundation

issue of municipal taxes and the recent jump in taxes for shoreline residential properties. But it wasn't long before members began quizzing Oyler on the proposed new municipal building. He explained that sinking soil around the current 60-year-old building meant that additions and renovations would be problematic. "It would have cost in excess of \$200,000," he said. Oyler said that the Lutterworth municipal office was rejected as a possible site because of its existing problems with water supply and the effects on its septic tanks. "In all likelihood the municipality will put the Lutterworth site up for sale."

Rigney stepped in to announce that the municipality had over \$500,000 in transitional funds to pay for the new building.

Councillor Bill Obee then updated mem-

bers on the 911 situation, producing a map of Minden Hills and its new road names. He said that two numbers would be assigned to each property and that the process would be underway by June or July of next year.

Oyler and Obee then made a quick address to members for their support in the municipal elections this November.

Association president Ken Lewis said the association would be forming a position on the election and will release more information in the upcoming fall newsletter.

Julia Harrison, an anthropology professor at Trent University, announced her planned research project on the cottage experience. "I was curious about what is unique about this experience," she said. "I'll be focusing my research in Haliburton County because of the range of cottagers here. A bit too

much has been made of Muskoka... Hopefully I'll have a chance to visit some of you for a chat."

Michelle Lewis gave the membership report, announcing current the total at then end of last year as 144, with \$3,600 generated in revenue.

Jacque Martin reported on clothing and merchandise sales, which contributed \$6,030 over the past year since May 2002. "We've added floating key tags, so you're not going to lose your boat keys if you drop them in the lake," she said.

The association's lake steward, Bruce MacMillan, updated members on the programs analyzing their lake. The clarity and temperature of Mountain Lake has been consistently measured under the province's lake program, said MacMillan. "We have six or seven metres of clarity, so we're at the low end of the scale for the typical Shield lake... and the water temperature has been 24 degrees for most of this month." He further announced an Environment Canada scheme to measure the point at which ice is formed on the lake surface as well as an invading species program of the Ontario Anglers and Hunters that will look at counts of zebra mussels, spiny water fleas and other exotic species.

Bill Rozelle then reviewed the past summer's events, recounting the recent golf tournament and association picnic. He encouraged the children of members to participate in the annual picnic swim, given the youngest swimmer this year was aged 31. Rozelle also called upon a change in volunteers for future events.

President Lewis went over new business and advised members thinking of shoreline work on their property to contact the Ministry of Natural Resources so as to avoid heavy fines. One member spoke out against the proposed expansion of Stanhope Airport, although no one else seemed to want to oppose the project.

At the end of the meeting, a vote was passed to continue with the existing executive. Ken Lewis stays on as president, as do Ruth Benson as treasurer and Jacque Martin as vice president.



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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Unbreakable spirit and a legacy of hope

The theme for the 2003 Terry Fox Run is Unbreakable Spirit. It is an appropriate title in memory of Terry Fox, whose Marathon of Hope sparked an annual event that has raised more than \$300-million for cancer research since 1981.

Funding from the Terry Fox Foundation has enabled researchers to develop treatments and medication that has saved thousands of lives. Terry tops the list of Canadian heroes in our opinion.

The 2003 Terry Fox Run is scheduled for Sunday, September 14.

In Minden, the event will start from the Minden Community Centre's upper level at 9 a.m. This is the 10th annual Minden Terry Fox Run and organizers are hoping it will raise the most yet.

The Haliburton Terry Fox Run is set for 9 a.m. to noon at the Town Dock. Andy Salvatori is the chair of that event. The High School/Public School event will be held on Friday, September 12, starting at 10:45 from the high school track in Haliburton. That date is subject to change. High school run organizer Bruce Griffith says he's trying to make a day of it by combining the Terry Fox run with a high school sporting event. The J. D. Hodgson Elementary School run, which is organized by Eva Griffith, will be held in conjunction with the high school event.

Pledge sheets are available in the Minden area at several locations, including The Times office.

The Terry Fox Run is not a competition. It is a fund-raising event. There are no prizes for the fastest to complete the course. Participants don't even have to finish the course. You don't have to run; you can walk, ride a bike, in-line skate, do the course on your skate-board... whatever you're comfortable doing. The Minden course is even wheelchair friendly.

As usual, the Minden event will start at the Minden Community Centre, proceed to Bobcaygeon Road, down to the Deep Bay Road, out to Mistivale Trail and retrace the route back to the community centre.

Participants should be aware that the roads are not closed to vehicular traffic during the run. Signs will be posted advising motorists that the run is in progress, but participants are encouraged to be vigilant and safety conscious.

Members of the Minden and Area Police Support Association, the Amateur Radio Club and the OPP are expected to be on hand to assist with traffic control and communications.

The success of the Minden Terry Fox Run is due, in part, to the dozens of volunteers who assist on the day of the event; to the large number of dedicated participants; to the local businesses and individuals who contribute to the cause; and to the Minden Terry Fox Run Committee, especially co-chair Linda Brandon, who is a very effective organizer and motivator.

We have all been touched by this disease in one way or another. The only way we're going to help realize Terry Fox's dream of eradicating cancer is to ensure funding is available for research.

This year marks the 10th annual event for Minden. Let's work together to make Minden's, and all of the local Terry Fox Runs, the best yet. Chances are if you are not participating yourself, you know somebody who is. You can support the cause by making a pledge.

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Boshkung Lake

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TO THE EDITOR

Times readers write

Rail trail debate continues

To the Editor:

We read with interest the article reporting the proceedings of the Haliburton Rail Trail Master Plan meeting held August 12th. It did indeed start out rather loud but I wish to point out that those that who were shouting were opposed to either the general process of conducting the rail trail evaluation or specifically to the consultant's remarks that snowmobile use should not be protected from the process of review.

The ATV club members in the audience thought that Stantec consultants did a very good job to diplomatically bring the few to order who were intent on disrupting the meeting rather than having a reasonable inclusive debate of the issues at hand.

Although there were also those in opposition to ATV use there were those in favor of continued use as a multi use trail including motorized uses inclusive of

ATVs. For the record Haliburton ATV club feels the trail has always been a motorized trail since its inception and it should continue to be used as a multi-use trail especially considering that the trails largest user base is snowmobiles and ATVs that bring a proven financial windfall to our county businesses.

I believe that all participants would agree that in any case the rail trail needs better enforcement including trail marshaling to ensure the rights of all are protected. Don't let a few socially irresponsible users ruin it for everyone.

The rail trail historically has been an important economic transportation corridor to the Highlands and it should continue to do so inclusive of all trail uses. Multiple use trails are common throughout Canada and are in practice on the rail lines of nearby IB&O and the EOTA rail line trail systems. The concept that multiple use cannot co-exist is nonsense and

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IN OTHER WORDS

Columnists and Letters to the Editor

The soft sell

I only saw a news photo the kiss — the one between Christine Aguilera, Madonna and Brittany Spears at the recent MTV Awards. Despite this, I don't find it all that interesting from a news perspective. Sure, the mainstream media has jumped on it and called it inappropriate, scandalous and shocking but let's remember whom we're talking about here. These are three women whose career depends on being in the limelight.

Was it inappropriate? Certainly, not from a publicist's standpoint. Was it shocking? It might have been if their microphone headset cords got covered in saliva. And judging from the photo, this was definitely a risk. Otherwise, however, it was standard fare. This means it has no basis in reality for most of us.

That's why it happened in a land far, far away that's known as Hollyweird. Things like this are supposed to happen there. We've come to expect it.

Still, having said all that, whenever I

see this kind of stunt I do sit up and take notice. After all, these stars are being coached and prodded by the best attention getters in the business. From a purely business standpoint, that simple kiss might have been worth a million dollars in record sales. This is because any publicity is good publicity and a picture is worth a thousand words.

And speaking of a thousand words, as someone who is flogging his own book, a brilliant but little-known literary gem entitled "My Outdoors," I thought I might learn a thing or two from this stunt.

That's why now, even as I write this, I'm kissing my computer. That's right, I'm playing tonsil hockey with an IBM Aptiva. It's a long slow, deep kiss — unnatural,

scandalous and shocking in every way — very much like an old aunt grabbing you by the ears and pulling you into her wrinkled and puckered face. Visually, I

can only describe it as awkward and absolutely inappropriate. And, as you can imagine, it's not pretty at all. Even my dog, who licks parts of herself that shouldn't even be mentioned in print, had to avert her eyes. It was that bad. Hopefully, by now, you're thinking of buying one of my books.

Not being a publicist, I'm not exactly sure how all this works but I can assure you it's a time-honored sales tactic. Any time a person does some-

thing, shocking, stupid, or absolutely offensive, fame and riches naturally follow. That's why I'm hoping to cash in on



BEYOND 35

Steve Galea

Hair today and gone tomorrow

The law, sir is a ass... a idiot

If anyone needed visual confirmation of the words Charles Dickens put in the mouth of Mister Bumble, one need go no further than a typical British courtroom during a typical British trial. There you might watch one of Britain's most eminent barristers melliflously declaiming subtle and abstruse points of law in soaring language with Shakespearean flourishes and Miltonian profundity.

And he will be dressed like a geriatric drag queen.

British barristers wear robes and wigs. Have done since the 17th century.

And I don't mean understated Frank Sinatra hairpieces or sleek Captain Kirk toupees — the wigs the Brits wear are mangy, white page boy bobs, made out of horse hair, crudely cut, heavily powdered and heavy as sin.

Sure, they made a dynamite fashion statement back in the 1600's — but nowadays — why? Traditionalists argue that the wigs and robes help instill respect for the law.

Yeah, right — but why not go for something lighter and more contemporary, like

Groucho Marx glasses and a Ronald McDonald clown suit?

Ah, well. Men have always been a little loony in the head hair department. I haven't got as much mileage (or hair) as Rumpole of the Bailey, but I've lived through brush cuts, Boogie cuts, Elvis pompadours, Ducktails, Afros, Beatle cuts, Mohawks, Buzz cuts and the Mel Gibson Mullet.

I don't want to come on like I'm cutting edge trendy when it comes to hair, but — well, I AM cue-ball bald. And that, my friends, is the latest hot look for gents — no hair at all.

And not just on the head. Any day now you can expect to see the kickoff of a Canadian advertising campaign featuring TV commercials and glossy magazine ads for Arm & Hammer's latest cosmetic come-on: Nair for Men.

The male-targeted hair removal gel has been selling briskly down south for the

past year and a half. According to a survey released by the company that manufactures the stuff, 30 percent of

American males between the ages of 18 and 34 regularly shave off their chest hair.

When did this start? I thought the hairy-chested he-man was the standard all 90-pound-weaklings aspired to.

Ah, but that was before Arnold. As a body-builder, Governor-elect Conan proved that you could have a chest as bare as a baby's bum and still look like a walking bag of walnuts.

According to scientists, Schwartzetecetra and his hair-removing imitators may simply be responding to a biological imperative. Researchers at Oxford and Reading universities suggest we humans originally shed our furry, primate pelts half a million years ago to protect ourselves from disease-carrying parasites.

"Smooth skin has therefore become an evolutionary calling card we use uncon-

this stunt with my computer. Follow me?

Believe me, this wasn't one of those platonic kisses. No ma'am, it was unpleasant, distasteful nasty and maybe a bit tantalizing. If you were here, you might have blushed. Hey, the screen is still fogged. You readers certainly deserve better. Even so, I bet it makes you want to get right out there and buy a book huh?

And why not? Let's face it. I'm breaking new ground here. I've never heard of a columnist kissing their computer before — let alone in public. After this, people, who look to me as a role model, might think that it's okay to kiss the toaster or hug a fridge. The very fabric of our society is being torn asunder by my public admission. I really shouldn't have done it. And even though it was wrong, I remain unapologetic.

That's why I'd buy a book if I were you. With all this hype, they just might sell out soon.



ARTHUR BLACK

Columnist

Motorized use of rail trail should continue

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self centered and one only needs to look at many jurisdictions to see that this is the most cost-effective way (for the taxpayers too) to manage many arterial year round trails.

It was interesting that the same chap who objected to "jogging behind ATVs" stated that many very nice hiking trails are not being used in the county and economically until hiking can demonstrate better use of existing resources it would be hard to justify shutting the rail trail down to motorized users. I'm a hiker too but I would strongly concur that it would be a mistake to shut the rail trail to motorized uses in favor of just non

motorized users when the current primary use of the trail is snowmobiling & atv-ing and other non motorized trails are currently under utilized with some growing over. I would also like to point out that the rail trail itself on a recent summer long weekend mid day survey produced only a handful of trail users (and not a single hiker) over a four hour period. It seems even the rail trail is perhaps under utilized during the non winter months.

My overall observation is it is not productive to polarize non motorized use and motorized use. Both groups have

validity, neither is going away anytime soon and there are recreational and economic opportunities that Haliburton residents and businesses alike can and need to take advantage of. To the person at the meeting that suggested

Haliburton tourist operators don't need to attract anymore business — all I can say is there are many businesses in the county that are trying to make ends meet and we desperately need shoulder season activities including resident and non resident recreational users of all types.

Mark Coles
Minden

MORE LETTERS

Times readers write

Not all councillors want new building

To the Editor:

Bob Minto's letter in *The Times* of Aug. 25 is a little confused. In Paragraph one, he says "council voted unanimously." Only the members present at the meeting (I was one) voted to hire Duncan Ross to do the preliminary plans, etc. for a new building. Ingram Wessell and I have been against a new building since Day One! We wanted to leave Planning and By-law in the old Lutterworth Office, which was com-

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Friday night fun at the Kinmount Fair

Photos by DARREN LUM/Times



Top: The large V8 cars battled for demolition supremacy and the right to enter the Simcoe Demolition Derby where \$15,000 is up for grabs. The derby attracted 20 cars to the derby and 14 figure eight competitors to Friday night action at the Kinmount Fair.

Above: The 2003 Kinmount Fair Ambassador, Amy Dudman, 22, from Burnt River, proudly wears her winning medallion. She is a Wilfred Laurier University honours combined student majoring in Near Eastern Archaeology, Classical Studies and minoring in English, French and History. Her career goal is to become an Archaeologist.

Middle left: Competitors in the four cylinder 'figure eight' competition take a turn side-by-side. There were up to 80 cars competing in both the demolition derby and the figure eight races.

Also above: Chris Anderson, from Minden, shows his winnings from the ball toss game. The mini-bike was one of only two won on Friday at the Kinmount Fair.

Crowds were packed into the grandstands, watching the truck pulls at the Kinmount Fair on Friday afternoon, Aug. 30.

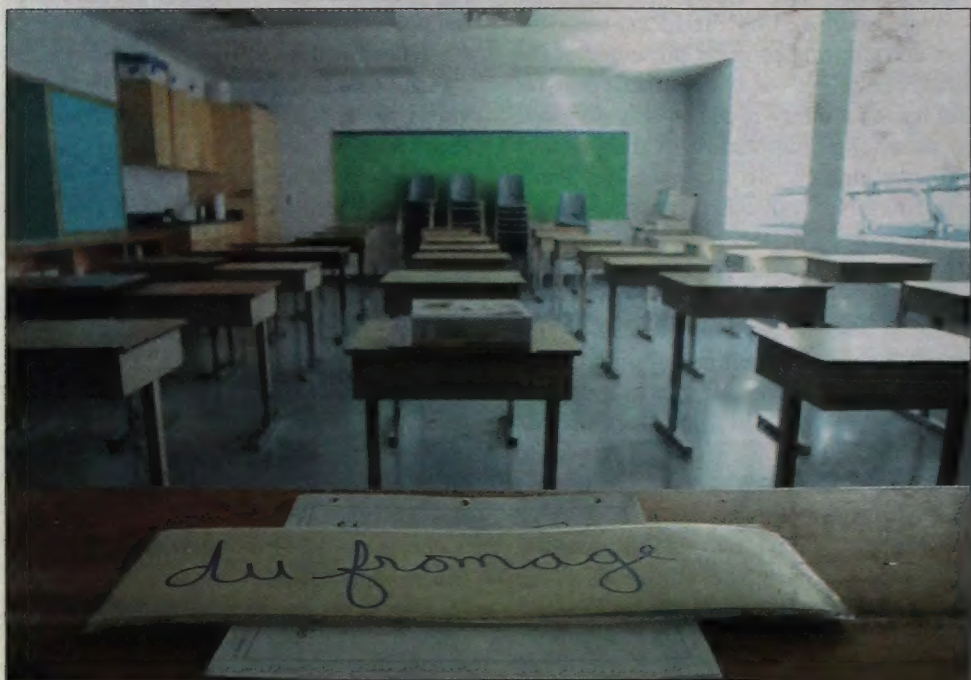


Waiting for the bell

The teachers were hard at work, preparing for the upcoming 2003/2004 school year on the first official day back on Thursday, Aug. 29. Some teachers at Archie Stouffer Elementary School came in two days earlier to start the year. They were writing out name cards and tacking up posters. Classrooms were empty of students, filled only with the silence that begins each school year.

Left: Archie Stouffer Elementary School Vice Principal Joan Harpell is readying for school on the first official day for teachers on Thursday, Aug. 29. Harpell is the new vice principal.

Below: Grade 2 teacher Mike Darlington writes a name from his 2003/2004 class list.



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Trails and Tours spends big dollars on trails

by BARRIE MARTIN
Special to the Times

Winter trail work under way

Thanks to a recent grant from the Ontario Government, a number of trail development projects are under way. \$466,000 from the Rural Economic Development Fund (OSTAR) along with 50 per cent matching funds and in kind donations will be spent on 13 trail projects. Through this column and our web site we will keep you up-to-date on the progress of these projects.

Three of the project partners are getting their trails ready for winter use. Bob Johnson of the Haliburton County Snowmobile Association (HCSA) reports that the HCSA Trail Manager has been extremely busy completing several projects made possible with the association's portion of the OSTAR grant.

Major trail work has now been completed on Trail 15 and 16 (Y15-Y16) in the north end of the snowmobile trail system, including the installation of numerous culverts and loads of fill for proper grading. Washouts in these locations should

now be a thing of the past.

In the east, Trail 9 now has two new bridges installed as well as numerous culverts to alleviate water problems along that trail to Gooderham. The HCSA also is planning to replace the Beech River Bridge. The association has recently received news that approvals from the proper authorities are forthcoming and bridge construction should be under way in the next few weeks. A new bridge will improve the link to the north for snowmobiling and will insure a safe river crossing for those hiking the Beech River Trail.

Tom Russell and Rex Henry, on behalf of the Haliburton Nordic Trails Association, are doing a great job constructing new sections of ski trails in the Pinestone-Wigamog-Willow Beach resort area, including a new trail between the Wiga-pine and Willow Beach Loops and another in the vicinity of the Allsaw Loop. Other sections of the existing trails have been widened and smoothed out to help extend the length of the skiing season. OSTAR funding will also be used to purchase a new groomer. Discussions are under way with the current owners of the

Twin Lakes Resort (formerly Hart Lodge) about the possibility of reopening the resort's ski trails to the public.

The Ski Friends of the Frost Centre are using OSTAR funds to build new bridges on the Moose and Deer Trails, and to remove rocks, fill low spots and install culverts on all loops. Such work will extend the skiing season and make grooming easier. President Wally Ozog appreciates the work done by volunteers and the Ontario Rangers stationed at the Frost Centre.

The Bigger Picture

A few weeks ago I attended the annual conference of Ontario Trails Council (OTC) in Sarnia. The conference, "Pathways to Health", explored and celebrated the importance of trails in promoting healthy lifestyles. One thing is for certain - there are many jurisdictions across Ontario investing large amounts of time and funding to develop and promote their trail systems.

While energized by the ideas, information and exciting projects presented at the conference, I was reminded that Haliburton County needs to stay connected to what is happening in the broader trail community. To that end, the Trails and Tours Network has taken steps to get "in the loop."

Lindsay Elder, our Executive Director, is now a Director of the Ontario Trails Council and we hosted our first OTC Board meeting in Haliburton on July 12. We have also been asked to host the annual OTC conference in 2005. Lindsay has made the OTC aware of the potential impact that the controversy surrounding the Managed Forest Tax Incentive Program could have on our trail systems. OTC is discussing the matter with the provincial government.

I was lured into serving on a committee that is planning and implementing the Trillium Trails Network - a province-wide initiative designed to connect communities in Ontario through a network of trail links. For more information on the Ontario Trails Council and the Trillium Trails Network visit <http://www.ontario-trails.on.ca/>

ATV Club Growing Rapidly

The newly incorporated Haliburton

ATV Association, whose mandate is to promote responsible ATVing in the County, already has over 200 members locally and throughout the province and its membership is growing daily.

The HATVA is working together with the Network and the Haliburton County Snowmobile Association to organize and bring structure to this popular outdoor recreation activity in the County.

The Association is committed to educating riders about where they are allowed, and not allowed to ride; etiquette and safety; and working with other trail user groups to foster mutual respect for each other's interests.

Before next summer, the Club hopes to have in place a mapped and insured trail system using mostly Crown land trails, with strategically located road links (subject to Bill 11) to allow access between trail systems within the County, as well as to link Haliburton County with neighbouring jurisdictions. For more information see www.haliburtonatv.com.

Hike Leaders needed

Planning for Canada's first hiking festival is under way. The Hike Haliburton Festival will be held on October 16-19. The concept of a hiking festival is to celebrate the offering of hiking trails available in the Haliburton County and the unique natural and cultural landscapes in which they occur.

Festival participants would have a choice of guided hikes of varying difficulty, length and theme. The festival is more than just hiking though; it will include a variety of other activities - live entertainment, "Blister" Ball dance, auction sale, and barbeque.

The Network is looking for ideas, volunteers and sponsors. In particular we are seeking experienced hike leaders. If you can help or would like more information please call 705-489-4049 or info@trail-sandtours.on.ca.

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Summer is winding down and so is our Healthy Living Promotion. Participation has been exceptional this year! We want to thank and congratulate all of the participants for their time and effort put forth. Thank you to all of the businesses who donated prizes. They were greatly appreciated. We encourage everyone to keep up the good work!

We would like to acknowledge this year's outstanding participants. The following individuals were active 30 minutes or more every day of the week for 14 weeks.

1. Delaine Sisson - Employment Resource Centre
2. Karen Hoover - Haliburton Highland Trails and Tours Network
3. Gwen Brice - Haliburton Highlands Trails and Tours Network
4. Lindsay Elder - Haliburton Highlands Trails and Tours Network
5. Gail Kent - TD Bank
6. Margaret Collin - Rexall
7. Harry Rodley - MDS Laboratories
8. Leith Clarke - Access Centre
9. Norris Turner - Haliburton Highlands Family Services
10. Sterling Crowe - Minden Pharmasave Drug Store
11. Gail Crowe - Minden Pharmasave Drug Store
12. Anita Marshall - MNR Minden
13. Greg Phippen - McKeck's Place

The following are this year's winning businesses.

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1. Patient News Publishing
2. Haliburton Family Medical Centre
3. MNR - Minden

Group B

1. Minden Pharmasave Drug Store
2. Countrywide Haliburton Realty Ltd.
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3. Dr. Hindman's Dental Office

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Accessibility report looks at barriers

by MARTHA PERKINS
Times Staff

The county is pleased with Ernie Roylance's report on accessibility barriers at all buildings owned by the county and four municipalities.

The former chief building official for Lutterworth Township spent a month and a half surveying all buildings and identifying barriers as outlined by new provincial legislation. The cost to the county has been \$3,200.

Before hiring Roylance, county council felt the job could be done by municipal employees but as the September 30 deadline approached, politicians realized it was too big of a job and decided to hire someone dedicated to the task.

"He's done an exceptional job for us," CAO Gary King said. "I'm very pleased with the report."

Under the legislation, municipalities must now prove that they are making "a best effort" towards removing those barriers. If it is not feasible to make all buildings totally accessible, municipalities must at least show they are attempting to improve infrastructure.

"There are some things we definitely can do, but there's a cost involved," King said.

The definition of accessibility is quite broad. For instance, the county could improve its website to make it more accessible to the sight impaired. This, however, would cost at least \$6,000. Council will discuss various options and responsibilities as time evolves.

Meanwhile, the county's accessibility committee will review the report at Wednesday's meeting.

Once approved by the province, it will be posted on the county's website.

The following are brief reports of items discussed at Wednesday's county council meeting.

Doctor recruitment

Foster Loucks, the former CEO of Haliburton Highlands Health Services, has been appointed as the head of the county's doctor recruitment committee. The position was formerly held by Dr. Dick Charron, who is now chair of the HHHS board.

The county agreed to the HHHS's request to put the \$30,000 it set aside for doctor recruitment into a reserve fund so it will accrue interest.

Under an agreement with the HHHS, the county will pay a doctor \$15,000 to move to Haliburton County. It is a \$5,000 forgivable loan for each of the three years the doctor practises here.

Audit

The county received a clean bill of health from its auditor, whose only recommendation was that the county build up its paltry reserve funds.

"I'd seriously re-evaluate your reserves to get them back up,"

Glen Gordon of Cull, Gordon and Gingrich Chartered Accountants told councillors.

The county's reserves and reserve funds stand at \$3,128,000, down from \$4.8 million the year before.

Gordon says the funds should equal the annual levy, or \$6.1 million.

County treasurer Laura Janke says that healthy reserve funds "help you do better capital planning so you don't have to borrow money or spend a lot of money on maintenance [because you don't have the funds to improve infrastructure]."

Politicians are somewhat wary of building up reserves, however, because that requires an increase in property taxes.

"It's difficult here to build up reserves because our tax base is low and we don't have growing assessment," Janke said after the meeting.

Groundwater report

The Ministry of Environment is reviewing the draft report of the massive groundwater survey of the Trent watershed and once that review is complete, likely within the month, the document will be available for public review.

"It's a substantial study that takes a lot of work," says King. "It's a very, very detailed report."

The study identifies all the aquifers in Haliburton County and the information can then be incorporated into planning documents. Each municipality gets its own sep-

arate report.

Hyland Crest

The ties that used to bind Haliburton County with Hyland Crest have been officially severed.

A Private Member's Bill allowing the county to give up ownership of the Minden nursing home to Haliburton Highlands Health Services has been passed at Queen's Park. The bill allows the county to be exempt from a requirement that it own a home for the aged in order to retain its county status.

Several years ago, as part of the capital expansion project at the county's two healthcare centres, the Ministry of Health said that ownership must be passed to HHHS. HHHS bought the home for \$1.

County council will continue to have a representative on the HHHS, Rigney said, because it was in the county's best interests to do so.

The county has agreed to pay the interest on the HHHS's loan

to pay for the community's portion of the \$20-million expansion projects. Last year the county paid \$68,754 in interest, down from \$152,387 the previous year.

Seasonal employment

Council passed a bylaw saying that it would not hire seasonal employees before the Easter weekend as a way of settling a dispute with its road union.

The policy reflects a difference of opinion over how to interpret revisions to the Employment Standards Act, which includes a formula for how to calculate how much statutory holiday pay a seasonal employee is entitled to.

The county believes it has the right to take the total number of hours a seasonal employee has worked and then, using the formula, calculate how much the employee should be paid for the statutory holiday. King says the union argued that if a seasonal employee was hired on the Thursday before Easter, the employee was entitled to the benefits of the statutory holiday.

Under the new policy, the county will not hire seasonal employees before the Easter weekend to avoid such a conflict. As well, in order to receive payment for the Victoria Day holiday, an employee must work for the county at least three weeks beforehand.

Highland Storm Midget Rep team tryout date changed to Wednesday

There has been one change to the Highland Storm Minor Hockey tryout schedule. The Midget OMHA Rep team will hold its tryouts on Wednesday Sept. 3 at the Dysart Arena from 8 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Just a reminder that all players must be registered before coming to tryouts. If you haven't registered yet call Richard Van Nood at 457-1500.

And if you need equipment and you don't mind if it's used call Andy Paul at 754-4006. It's shaping up to be an exciting year for the Highland Storm teams so don't miss out. Lace up your skates and be a part of the action on the ice this winter.



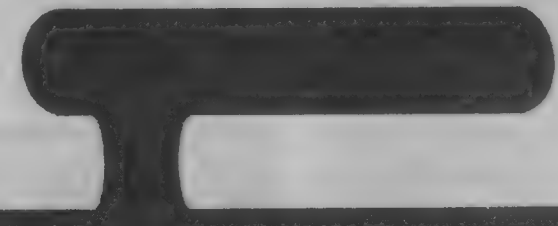
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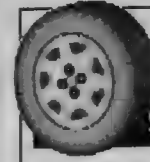


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It was full steam ahead for the Huskies

To the Editor:

In the spring of 1950 just prior to completing my training as a Telegrapher at the CNR Station in Kinmount, Ont., a very memorable occasion took place.

The Haliburton Husky hockey team made it to the All Ontario playdowns. They had to play a seventh and deciding game on neutral ice against Breslau, Ont. Stouffville, 96 miles south of Haliburton, was selected.

A steam-powered passenger train was chartered to take the hockey team and fans. The train was brought in from Lindsay. The charter was \$700. Excursion tickets were sold at stations along the 56-mile "Haliburton Subdivision" from Haliburton to Lindsay. I sold tickets up until train time at Kinmount, put the money in the safe, locked the door and piled on with the rest of the fans. We arrived with great fanfare at the arena in Stouffville.

We lost the game but partied all the way home. I got off at Kinmount and went to bed in a cottage on the Burnt River next to the station. I was living with the agent who had a live telegraph set (24/7) in the living room, so we heard all the telegram and news coming and going into the 'back country'!

As an aside, in November 1950 I was working relief in "NI" Office, Lindsay, with Jim Tobin, son of Gordon Tobin. Jim was the relief Dispatcher. At one time, there were 70 trains in and out of Lindsay in 24 hours. Today, not only is the Haliburton Subdivision gone but also the Lindsay Station and all the former connecting rail lines.

Gren Schrader,
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How many people will runway benefit?

To the Editor:

The following letter was first sent to the reeve and councillors of Algonquin Highlands

Where are your priorities?

You are prepared to commit the taxpayers of these amalgamated townships to paying for a crosswind runway for years into the future, at an airport which already operates at a loss. A runway which will not only result in the destruction of a hundred acres of virgin forest, at an airport which already operates at a loss. A runway which will not only result in the destruction of a hundred acres of virgin forest, threaten the homes and cottages at each end of the runway, cost the taxpayers of this province and municipality upwards of two and a half million dollars, but, as noted above, commit us to paying for it for years into the future. How many taxpayers will benefit from such an expenditure?

And yet when a gentleman taxpayer of these townships and a member of the Kushog Lake Property Owners Association suggests that we build a sewage treatment plant he is told by Reeve Eleanor Harrison that that option would cost millions of dollars! (See *Minden Times*, August 25th) A suggestion that would benefit every taxpayer in these townships (and county) goes over like a lead balloon but a crosswind runway benefitting how many is enthusiastically endorsed. I ask again, where are your priorities?

Art Wall,
Maple Lake

Minden building only at plan stage

from page 7

pletely re-built and a special document room added after a fire a few years ago. We were outvoted, so you get on with the new situation. Everything is still in the planning stage. Our old Minden building is not a good workplace.

Point Two: No present member of council has received a pay raise. We voted a minimal pay hike effective in 2004 for the new council. All the members may be new. After 30-plus years in politics, I'm going to sit back and remember how great Lutterworth was.

Part Three: If Bob means our Council by "these puppets," he should sit at the council table for a few months. We have seven good, independent people who try to balance what is best for us all.

If you want to get really upset, look at the rebuilding of Highway 35 from the Haliburton boundary to Miners Bay. Construction is \$1-million per kilometre, plus the cost of land, moving Hydro and Bell services and "Extras."

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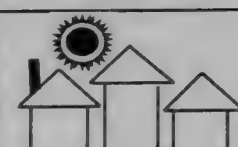
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Gypsy moth victims ask Minden Hills for help

by SHERYL LOUCKS
Times staff

Gypsy Moths are on the hit list at Gull, Black and Moore Lakes. Representatives from the three lakes came to council requesting political and funding support for a spray program that would kill off the destructive moths. Gypsy moths destroyed hundreds of trees in the early 90's, an infestation ended by spraying and are now back for the second year of a two-year infestation in the southern end of Minden Hills.

The moths are not native to the area and strip trees of foliage eventually killing them. The Ministry of Natural Resources has informed the representatives from the three lake associations it does not work to protect private property. In the 90's the MNR shared the cost of the spraying with residents. In this case the residents of Black Lake have agreed to pay full freight but need the MNR expertise to know when to spray. Residents on Gull and Moore lake are proposing to cost share.

Barbara Reid, representing Gull Lake, says she was astounded to learn it would cost \$230 - \$250 per two-acre property for spraying plus an additional \$80 per acre. The Gull ratepayers had suggested in a survey they pay \$50 each before realizing the full cost. Hilary Brown says an MNR report suggested there were more than 7,000 hectares infested with the moths in 2000 and now there are more than 153,000 hectares.

The associations have agreed to get a cost estimate for spraying. Council in turn has agreed in principle to support the idea and begin lobbying the MNR for assistance. The council members have not come to an agreement yet on a financial commitment but it was unanimous that council should provide some assistance for spring spraying.

COUNCIL BRIEFS

Minden Hills

The following are brief accounts from the meeting of Minden Hills Council on August 28.

North Water Street

Residents from North Water, Stouffer and Candace Streets came to council to talk about the unsafe conditions of the roads. Rawn Lougheed, Jim Thomson, and Kerry Rowe, talked about safety concerns of walking, bicycling and wheelchairs trying to move about on the loose gravel. The trio also discussed the discomfort of dust.

It was explained to them the road was being paved using a high flow system where constant driving on it would push off the loose gravel, pack the roadbed down and the emulsions will come to the surface. Then in the spring a sealing surface treatment will be applied. Councillors explained it is a year long process but well worth it to have

long lasting good roads.

Councillor Peter Oyler asked about having the road swept again to reduce the amount of dust and gravel. Staff suggested it could be risky because using heavy machinery could tear up the edges of the roads before they have time to properly harden. However, Councillor Bill Obee, who is chair of the roads committee, agreed to investigate the residents concerns and see what can be done.

Propane Tanks

Council has agreed to have a company in Huntsville called Preston Manufacturing pick up propane tanks from the municipality. The company will pay the municipality \$1 a tank and the money will be put back into the municipality's recycling program. Robert Romberg, environmental and property operations manager suspects there will be 300 to 400 tanks this year put in the landfills that would be available for removal. The company will only pay for those tanks that can be refurbished but will remove all tanks.

Hazardous Waste Days

Romberg says residents are catching on to the value of hazardous waste days. This year on Aug. 2, approximately 9,650 litres were collected at the Scotch Line landfill site. Hazardous waste consisted of paints, thinners, gasoline, aerosols and other toxic materials such as batteries. The cost of disposal of the materials at \$1,500 was below budget.

County angry with social service alliance

by MARTHA PERKINS
Times Staff

County councillors are increasingly unhappy with their shotgun marriage to Kawartha Lakes' social services department.

The department's housing committee recently submitted a budget which calls for a threefold increase in spending - all of it in Kawartha Lakes. Under the Kawartha Lakes/Haliburton Social Services Alliance, however, Haliburton County is on the hook for 29 per cent of those costs. And since the budget is for \$3-million, that could translate into a \$300,000 bill.

A few years ago, the province forced the county to amalgamate its social services departments with those in

Kawartha Lakes because there were fewer than 40,000 permanent residents in the county.

At Wednesday's county council meeting, CAO Gary King said Kawartha Lakes interpreted the legislation to mean that it also has total control over the departments. Haliburton County has no voice in the management of the departments and is required to pay 29 per cent of the budget based on population.

When Haliburton County was drafting its budget in March, it had not yet received a budget from the housing department. Last year the housing department's budget was \$1 million and county treasurer Laura Janke based the county's contribution on that amount.

The housing department finally released its budget in July. The report says that approximately \$2 million in repairs and maintenance are needed for buildings. None of those buildings are in Haliburton County so county council does not want to have to pay for the repairs. It will send a letter to the alliance requesting that Kawartha Lakes picks up all the repair costs.

"Despite the fact that we pay 29 per cent of the costs we have no governance or say, which I believe should cause us some concern," King said. "It doesn't make sense."

Dysart Reeve Murray Fearrey said that it should be raised as an election issue between the provincial parties.

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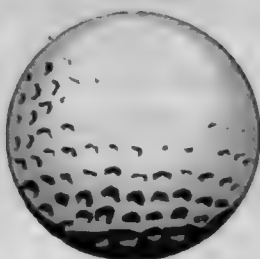
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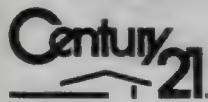
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New Heather Lodge owner has big plans

by ERIN TENNANT
Times staff

A high-profile real estate investor from The Netherlands is in the middle of renovating his first acquisition in the region – but it's not a plush resort on the prestigious shores of Lake Muskoka. No, Bert van Doggenaar has put his money into Minden, taking over the lakeside Heather Lodge on Highway 35.

Van Doggenaar - who paid \$475,000 for the 5-acre property in June, according to Land Registry documents - holds high hopes for the future of tourism. "Muskoka has already established a long-term name and I think the Haliburton Highlands will become the next one to do it," said van Doggenaar, who has already spent over \$100,000 on renovations. "I think now is exactly the right time to buy this kind of property. If we waited another four or five years it would be too expensive."

The Dutch investor has commercial real estate holdings throughout his home country and in other pockets of the world, but Heather Lodge is his first resort. He and wife Conny have been traveling to the area for the past 20 years for the beautiful surroundings. But for the past few years van Doggenaar has been looking to buy a resort and have someone he knows run it for him. When Heather Lodge was listed for sale, van Doggenaar got in touch with some old family friends – the Meilings – whom he met in Canada 20 years ago and whom have extensive experience in the restaurant business.

Together they jumped at the opportunity. Van Doggenaar snapped up the 12 Mile Lake resort from Minden real estate agent Tom Wilkinson, as Arend Meiling and wife Conny Meiling agreed to be the new managers, with their daughter Paula taking on the job as kitchen chef.

"If you count everything together, the lake, the views from the rooms, the fact that there are so many people driving down Highway 35 looking for a good lodge and fine dining – the opportunities are so big we couldn't resist," said van Doggenaar.



The new management at Heather Lodge, from left to right: chef Paula Meiling, managers Conny and Arend Meiling, new owners Conny van Doggenaar and husband Bert.

He has already built a new log cabin-style entrance, installed a new kitchen and renovated the back porch and decks. In coming months he will refurbish the lodge's lakeside docks to attract 12 Mile Lake residents who would arrive for dinner by boat. Van Doggenaar also plans to build a series of waterfront cottages in addition to the

existing eight lake-view rooms and four chalet rooms.

The property has been operating as a resort since 1938, when it opened on the site of the current Wedgewood Marina as Ellen Cliff Lodge, after owners Cliff Mullin and wife Agnes Ellen Mullin. The main building that stands today was built in the early 1940's. Mrs. Mullin sold the resort to a relative in 1960 – two years after Mr. Mullin's death – when it was renamed Valley High Resort. It was not until the late 1980's, when the resort was resold, that the name Heather Lodge was adopted.

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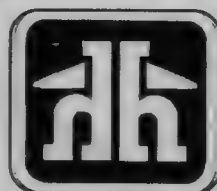
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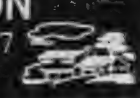
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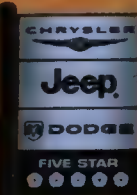


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Father Bill's love affair with lures



Father Bill Fellion, a Catholic priest in Kinmount and Minden, collects lures of all varieties. It's a hobby that began 10 years ago, despite the fact that Fellion doesn't consider himself much of a fisherman.

by JERRY GROZELLE
Times staff

When you speak the words Dowagiac, Zaragossa, Stingaree, Crazy Crawler and River Runt Spook, you're talking Father Bill Fellion's language. Those names have nothing to do with Latin, although some may consider the collecting of such items comparable to a religious experience. The names above are all Heddon brand fishing lures and Father Bill is an

avid collector.

"First of all, I want to let you know that I'm no authority on fishing," Father Bill said. "I'm not a fisherman. I can't tell you a thing about fishing. I'm probably the worst fisherman there was but I just have a fascination with fishing lures. The shapes and the colours fascinate me."

The basement walls of the Catholic Priest's Manse in Kinmount is lined with lures of all types.

His collection of "trader lures" includes a plethora of spoons, shallow and deep running crankbaits, surface

lures and everything in between.

Lures with such brand names as Rapala, Cisco Kid, Pikie Minnow, MirrOlure, Rebel, Lucky Strike, Williams Wabler and some that even the experts can't name line the walls.

"Some of them I know what they are, and some I don't," he said. "I get a lot of this stuff in and I don't know what it is. I've asked a lot of other collectors and they don't seem to know either."

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Priest has thousands of lures squirreled away

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Father Bill's interest in lures started about 10 years ago when he was living in Cobourg. "I wasn't particularly interested, but then when I moved up to Honey Harbour, I had a few hundred on the wall there — different kinds. I didn't realize there was such a thing as lure collecting and then I found out I was fishing with a \$600 fishing lure. So when that happened I thought, hold it here, I'd better start squirreling this stuff away."

He laments the fact that a lot of grandfathers give their old tackle to their grandchildren, some of which may be more valuable than they realize.

"The grandchildren just lose them," he said. "They don't know what they are. Most people don't know what they are."

Father Bill specializes in the Heddon family of lures. James Heddon, a beekeeper and newspaper publisher from Michigan, is said to have been waiting for a fishing partner one day in 1898 when he tossed a whittled piece of wood into a millpond. A bass engulfed the "plug" of wood and it didn't take James Heddon long to realize there were other ways to catch fish besides live bait. The first Heddon brand lures hit the market in 1902.

Father Bill's collection of Heddon lures fills several boxes. Each is carefully packaged in a clear plastic bag, with plastic tubing "keepers" on the hooks to protect the lure handler's fingers. The bags are labeled with a description of its contents, the approximate date of manufacture and its estimated value.

Where does Father Bill get all his lures? He's a frequent visitor to yard sales and auctions. The sight of an old, beat up tackle box is something he finds hard to resist. Most contain the basic tackle that the average angler accumulates. But occasionally there is a rare treasure lurking inside.

Not all of the collectable lures go into storage. Some are put into display cases for the enjoyment of anyone

who has a similar interest.

Collecting anything requires a lot of time spent on research. You have to know what's valuable and what isn't. Father Bill has a veritable library of about 20 books on the subject of lure collecting.

He holds up a Heddon Dowagiac Minnow 150. "If you've got an original one of these in the original box, you've got a good piece," he said.

With the accumulation of old tackle boxes, he has acquired a lot of hooks and sinkers and other "essentials"

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FATHER BILL

of the sport.

"I'm developing quite a collection of cotter pins too," he said. Most anglers carry a couple of cotter or shear pins for their outboard motors in case they hit a rock or stump and break a pin.

Father Bill is a member of the Canadian Artificial Fishing Tackle Association.

He said a Canadian tackle manufacturer based in Peterborough is popular among some collectors. He noted that the glass eyed lures made by Lucky Strike are very collectible, even though they are not as old as some of the other brand names.

"I think what I enjoy most

about it is the treasure hunt," Father Bill said.

"I used to collect paintings. I used to have about a hundred paintings." He noted that it is much easier to find enough room for several thousand lures than it is for 100 paintings.

When he's not checking out the garage sales and yard sales looking for lures, Father Bill does some trading on the eBay on-line auction. A quick check on eBay, by typing in the name Heddon, will almost always turn up several hundred items from which to choose. Prices range from a few dollars for a lure that is common, or still in production, to several hundred dollars or more for a rare lure of a certain colour in its original box.

"It's a case of supply and demand," Father Bill points out.

He has been collecting seriously for four or five years and his collection surpasses the number of lures in most tackle shops.

Father Bill points out that getting into someone's tackle box to have a look for valuables is often a very difficult task.

"They think they've got a million dollar lure and they go out and fish with it," he said. "Or they give it to their grandchildren and the kids will go out and lose them all in one day."

Evaluations is something else that Father Bill does for those who have lures they would like to know the value of. He said the early frog lures are some times very collectible. "They don't have to be wooden lures to be valuable," he said.

Unfortunately for Father Bill's friends in this area, he will soon be moving to Ennismore. He says he will be taking a rest for a while to work on improving his health. His new telephone will be in service later this week. Anyone interested in talking about lures or having an evaluation will be able to call him at 705-292-0917 any time after this coming weekend. He said the church in Kinmount will forward messages to him as well. The number there is 705-488-2222.

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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2003
Electors of the
Township of Algonquin Highlands

NOTICE is hereby given that Section 23 of the Municipal Elections Act is complied with and that on the 2nd day of September 2003, the list of all persons entitled to be electors for Municipal elections in this Township of Algonquin Highlands shall be posted in the Clerk's Office and that such list remain there for inspection.

VOTE BY MAIL will be used by the Township of Algonquin Highlands. Accordingly, ballots will be mailed by Canada Post based on information on the List of Electors.

ALL ELECTORS SHOULD EXAMINE this List of Electors to ensure their names and relevant information are correctly shown.

APPLICATIONS for inclusions, additions or corrections to or deletions from this List of Electors are available at the Municipal Office on North Shore Road.

REVISIONS OF THE LIST OF ELECTORS to change own information shall be undertaken at the Main Office on North Shore Road during normal office hours each weekday, commencing Tuesday, September 2, 2003 and ending at the close of voting day, 8:00 p.m., November 10, 2003 or by mail by the applicant.

REVISIONS OF THE LIST OF ELECTORS by application to remove another name shall be undertaken at the Main Office on North Shore Road during normal office hours each weekday, commencing Tuesday, September 2, 2003 and ending on Nomination day September 26, 2003 or by mail by the applicant.

Examination of List

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or

Satellite Office (Main Street, Dorset)

8:30 a.m. — 12:00 Noon

1:00 p.m. — 4:30 p.m.

Revisions of List

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Invites Applications for the Position of
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The Township is seeking an equipment operator to provide a variety of maintenance and construction services to Municipal Roads and Facilities located in the Galway Ward.

The ideal candidate will have a minimum of 3 years heavy equipment experience preferably in roads related and construction environments. A valid "A" driver's license and "Z" endorsement is required for this position and applicants must include a recent driver's abstract and will be subject to a road test.

Certificates from T. J. Mahoney or C.S. Anderson Road School would be a definite asset. Qualified Candidates are invited to submit an application including a resume by 4:30p.m. September 16, 2003. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

For further information on the above position please contact:

Gary MacDonald, 705-657-1236

Resumes are to be submitted to:

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NOTICE is hereby given to the Municipal Electors of the
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Nominations in the Township of Algonquin Highlands for the offices set out below may be made by completing and filing in the office of the Clerk of the Municipality noted, the prescribed form and accompanied by the prescribed nomination filing fee of \$200.00 for the Head of Council and \$100 for all other offices. The filing fee is payable by cash, certified cheque or money order.

A nomination must be signed by the candidate and may be filed in person or by an agent during regular business hours on or before September 25, 2003, and between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on September 26, 2003 (Nomination Day).

In the event there are an insufficient number of certified candidates to fill all positions available, nominations will be reopened, for the vacant positions only, on Wednesday, October 1, 2003, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and such additional nominations, if required, may be filed in the office of the Clerk.

Electors are hereby given notice that if a greater number of candidates are certified than are required to fill the said offices, voting will be conducted using Vote by Mail.

Council

Nominations for the Township of Algonquin Highlands Council, as follows, may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Township of Algonquin Highlands, R.R. #2, North Shore Road, Minden, Ontario:

Reeve	One (1) to be elected by General Vote
Councillor	One (1) to be elected for Ward 1 representing the geographic Township of Sherborne
Councillor	Two (2) to be elected for Ward 2 representing the geographic Township of Stanhope
Councillor	One (1) to be elected for Ward 3 representing the geographic Townships of McClintock, Livingstone, Lawrence and Nightingale

English Language Public School Board

Nominations for the Trillium Lakelands District School Board (One (1) trustee to be elected for the County of Haliburton) may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Township of Minden Hills, 7 Milne Street, Minden, Ontario.

French Language Public School Board

Nominations for le Conseil scolaire de district du Centre-Sud-Ouest (One (1) trustee to be elected for Sector 1 - Haliburton, Northumberland, Peterborough, Kawartha Lakes and Durham) may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the City of Oshawa, 50 Centre Street South, Oshawa, Ontario, or with a delegated Clerk.

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Sealed bids marked, "Equipment for Sale", will be received by the undersigned until 4:30 p.m. September 30, 2003. All vehicles and equipment will be sold on an "as is" basis and will be removed by the successful bidder no later than October 6, 2003. Bid forms will be available at the Township Office and must be used. All payments will be in full by certified cheque/cash before equipment is removed.

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 701 County Road #36, Box 820
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Line dancing gets moving in Kinmount

Wednesday before the Kinmount Fair and the fairgrounds are alive with activity. At the Pioneer Complex exhibits are being set up in the huge tent, which now spans the two permanent buildings. Seated at the 1850 "barn loom" tying the warp onto its cloth beam, my hand rests on the centre of the beater worn smooth and golden by other hands long before mine. There is a presence here.

Barn looms were so named because they could be easily dismantled, stored away in a dark corner of the barn and set up again when there was material to be woven, along with sufficient light and warmth for the weaver to work. More "happenings" at the Kinmount Community Centre.

On Mondays from 6:30 to 8 p.m. the Sparks/Brownies/Guides/Pathfinders Program, for girls from kindergarten to grade 8, will resume in late September. Contact Julie Austin at 488-2291 or Carole Jones at 488-2123 for further information.

For Line Dancing, which is not only fun but great exercise, come out and "Dance with Joy" once a week for eight weeks, with the day to be determined by the group. The full fee is \$15 for the class series. Contact Joy Stange at 488-2768 for further information.

The Volunteer Board of Management for the Community Centre has launched a campaign to raise \$7500 to upgrade the kitchen facilities. On October 25

the "Happy Wanderers" will entertain at the Centre and Clayton Cameron will conduct one of his famous looney auctions at intermission. Tickets will go on sale soon so remember to start saving those loonies.

The next regular meeting of the Galway and Area Ratepayers Association Inc. will be held on Saturday, September 13 at the Galway Hall from 10 a.m. until



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noon. The theme for this meeting will be Municipal Governance, and the speakers will include Tom Flynn, Reeve of Galway, Cavendish and Harvey, Mike Rutter C.A.O. Peterborough County, and Diane Lloyd, Trustee, Kawartha Pine Ridge Public School Board.

September classes offered by the Kinmount and Area Artisans Guild at the Kinmount Artisans Marketplace will include an old fashioned doll making course with Marlene Munroe (2 Friday mornings), a Friday morning grapevine basket workshop with Liz Meszaros, a Saturday One Stroke Folk Art workshop with Lori Raymond and a full week Chair Caning Course with Liz

Meszaros. For more information contact Patti at 488-2938.

Cheryl Lafferty will be teaching folk art and related techniques on Wednesdays during October and November. For specific dates, times and projects please call her directly at 488-1177.

A Homecoming Reunion will be held at St. Luke's Anglican Church, Burnt River on Sunday, September 14 for members of the Sunday School Youth, Junior Auxiliary, Vacation Bible School and the Boy's League. The Program, another event in St. Luke's Centennial Celebrations, will begin at 9:30 a.m. with the Bishop of Trent-Durham as Special Guest. Now for the Scoring News.

Thursday, August 21 euchre at the Minden Legion Branch 636: Taking the lone hand honours for ladies/men were Gala Stamp and Kevin Maloney, while Edith Burch and John Mallon recorded the day's high scores. Maxine Cross and Helen Cox had the low scores, with the other prizes going to Bev Ranney, May Bradbury, Vicki Campagnolo, Bess Cox and Idella Gault.

Friday, August 22 bid euchre at Club 35, Halls Lake: Pat Scadden, along with Marg and Milton Fletcher, made up the moonshot trio, while Maisie McCrone uncovered the hidden score. Top spot for the pinks went to Marion

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NOTICE

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT RSC 1985, chapter N-22

Haliburton County Snowmobile Assoc. hereby (gives/give) notice that an application has been made to the Minister of Fisheries and Oceans under the Navigable Waters Protection Act for approval of the plans and site of the work described herein. Under Section 5 of the said Act, Andy Chvedukas has deposited with the Minister of Fisheries and Oceans, and in the office of the District Registrar of the Land Registry District of Haliburton County at Minden Registry Office under deposit number 248454 a description of the site and plan of Replacement Bridge in the Beech River at Lot 16, Concession 3, Stanhope, Twp. in front of 1st number Lot 16, Concession 3.

Written objections based on the effect of the work on marine navigation should be directed not later than one month from the date of publication of this notice to: Superintendent, Navigable Protection Program, Canadian Coast Guard, Department of Fisheries and Oceans, 201N. Front Street., Suite 703, Sarnia, Ontario, N7T 8B1.

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Agency store contracts are normally awarded for a five-year term.

Since 1962, the LCBO has authorized more than 150 agency stores to serve communities which have requested service but where the local population is too small to support a regular liquor or beer store. These agency stores are operated by local retailers in conjunction with their existing retailing activities.

Operating an LCBO Agency Store provides a retailer with an excellent opportunity to increase revenue and attract customers while providing local residents with beverage alcohol services. Agency stores also deliver economic benefits to the community in many cases through job creation and increased customer traffic for local merchants.

To receive the RFP package, interested applicants may forward their request(s) by FAX/Mail. The request(s) must be received by Purchasing on or before the closing date and time, **September 30, 2003, 10:00 a.m.** and must quote the following information:

RFP# 2003 - 100 - Camarvon
Request for Application Package
Manager of Purchasing, LCBO
1 Yonge Street, Suite 1404
Toronto, Ontario
M5E 1E5
Fax: 416-864-6853

Enquiries/questions will be accepted only by FAX/Mail if received at the above address on or before **September 23, 2003, 10:00 a.m.** Enquiries must clearly identify the RFP# and Agency Store area.

Note: Late submissions will not be accepted and late RFP responses will be returned unopened



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Viewing: Wednesday and Thursday, September 4th & 5th
Contact: John Currie (705) 457-1680 Ext. 228
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For further information, please contact Anne McIntosh, (705) 749-5530 or John Currie (705) 457-1680 Ext. 228

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PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENTS 2002

Performance	Measure	Result
Transportation		
1. Operating costs for paved (hard top) roads per lane kilometer		\$1,815.05 per lane kilometer
2. Operating costs for winter control maintenance of roadways per lane kilometer		\$ 985.48 per lane kilometer
3. Percentage of winter-event responses that meet or exceed municipal road maintenance standards		N/A
General Government		
4. Operating costs for municipal administration as a percentage of total operating costs.		9.73%

Summertime card players score bigtime

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Farr with 287, followed by Mary Schad 252 and Peggy Awde 249. Leading the white cards was Barb Robitaille at 301, then Pat Scadden a close second at 300 and Peter Farr third with 256.

Friday, August 22 duplicate bridge at Echo Hills, Haliburton: In north/south, Reet Murray and Bill Sandford were first with 59%, followed by Joan Galley and Joyce Burtch 57%. Over in east/west, Stella McMillan and Vange Croucher led with 66%, then Ken Sheppard partnered with Ev Morgan took second spot at 59%.

Saturday, August 23 bid euchre at Staunworth Terrace, Minden: Ruth Kellett reports that first place went to Margaret Fletcher 324, with Pat Roussel second at 299. Hidden score holders were Pat Bailey, Pearl Cowen and Gala Stamp, while moonshots landed on Pearl Cowen, Pat Roussel and Mildred St. Thomas.

Monday, August 25, euchre at the Friendship Club, St.

Paul's Anglican Church, Minden: In the lone hands column, it was Gwen Cox for the ladies and Jack Chilton for the gents. Leading the scoring with ladies/men's highs were Pat Millard and Bill Mosley, while Joyce Noble and Julie Keberer tallied up the afternoon's lows. Draw winners were Bill Mosley and Gwen Cox.

Monday, August 25 cribbage at the Minden Legion Branch 636: Pat Roussel reports that the top trio included Verna McDonald first, Pat Scadden second and Vicki Campagnolo third. Other prizes went to Verna McDonald, Gwen Cox and Bev Ranney.

Monday, August 25 euchre at Club 35, Halls Lake: Jean Randall was not only joined in the high score department ladies/men by Tom Pearson but she also took home the baloney. John McGillivray held the most lone hands while Colleen Davidson and Garth Windsor recorded the evening's lows. Thanks to Jean Dutka for her update.

Monday, August 25 euchre at Staunworth Terrace, Minden: In the winners' circle were Georgina Deeks for high hands, Martha Harding for lone hands and Iris Taylor for low hand. Pearl Cowen took the special prize.

Monday, August 25 Kinmount Seniors bid euchre at the Kinmount Legion Branch 441: In first was our reporter Mildred St. Thomas, with Berkie Parker taking second spot. Moonshots were recorded by Thelma Francis and Jim Coleman. Roger Fournier won the draw.

Tuesday, August 26 bid euchre at the Minden Legion Branch 636: First place went to Thelma Francis with 369, followed by Edith Burch 301 and Jean Scadden 291. Single moonshots landed on Ida Young, Pat Scadden, Marcel Roussel and Gala Stamp, while Thelma Francis took two. The hidden score holders were Verna

McDonald, Pat Scadden and our reporter Marie Dennie.

Tuesday, August 26 contract bridge at Stanhope: Muriel McIntosh and Ross Fletcher recorded a Small Slam while Dorothy Strype and Frank Schlotter hit the jackpot with a Grand Slam. Frank also led the top scoring quartet with 5760, with Bernice Jewson next at 5460, Ross Fletcher third at 5150 and Betty Dicker fourth with 5100. Lucky draw winner Muriel McIntosh agreed with the title of Frank Schlotter's Special "PAJOBL" Award. He is indeed the "Pride and Joy of Boshkung Lake."

Wednesday, August 27 duplicate bridge at Parklane, Haliburton: North/south honours went to Don Mills and Bill Sandford at 66%, with Rita and Glen Lockhart second at 62%. In east/west, Ruth and Jim Forrester took top spot with 61%, followed by Jacqueline and Kelly Metcalf 56%.

Wednesday, August 27 bid euchre at Stanhope: Eight lucky moonshots landed on Jack Cox, Peggy Awde, Ken Stiver, Alf Helleman, Marge Richardson, Blanche (Pickle) Anthony and Sharon and Rob Evans. Leading the pinks was Marge Richardson 300, with Lottie Ruttan 294 second and Willie Cox 275 third. For the white cards, it was a close race with top spot going to Donna Medland 279, then Rob Evans 278 second and Ruth Kellett 277 third.

Wednesday, August 27 Kinmount Seniors euchre at the Kinmount Legion Branch 441: Mary Wilkins was high lady, with Jayme Longfield second high and Emily Harvie low. For the men, Truman McNeil took the high score, with Roger Fournier second high and Ted Wilkins low. The draw winners were Roger Fournier and Jim Corbett.

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Request for Tender For Snow Plowing

for main office at Eastern Ave. and George St.
Includes two parking lots, sanding and snow removal.
Snow must be cleared by 8 a.m. Monday to Friday.

Sealed tenders will be accepted at the Family
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For site visits and information, please contact
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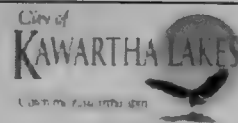
The Township of Minden Hills will receive Tenders for the

- (1) Construction of two gates at the
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- (2) To supply two commemorative
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Information on construction of project and plaque
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Tenders must be submitted in a sealed envelope, clearly
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than Monday, September 8th, 2003 at 4:00 p.m.

**LOWEST OR ANY TENDER NOT
NECESSARILY ACCEPTED**



MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2003

NOTICE REVISIONS TO VOTERS LIST

Notice is hereby given that the preliminary List
of Electors was posted on the 2nd day of
September, 2003, at City Hall and in all service
centres within the City of Kawartha Lakes.

For information with respect to making
amendments, additions or deletions to the
Voters List, please visit the City's web site at
www.city.kawarthalakes.on.ca for complete
details, or call the number below.

**DATED THIS 2nd DAY OF SEPTEMBER
2003**



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Judy Currins
City Clerk
City of Kawartha
Lakes
26 Frances Street
Lindsay, ON K9V
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1-705-324-9411 Ext.
108 or 109



ÉLECTIONS MUNICIPALES 2003 AVIS RÉVISIONS À LA LISTE ÉLECTORALE

Avis est par les présentes donné à l'effet que, le 2^{ème} jour de septembre 2003, la Liste
électorale préliminaire a été affichée à l'Hôtel de Ville ainsi qu'à tous les centres de
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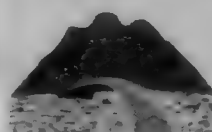
Pour obtenir des renseignements en ce qui a trait aux modifications, aux ajouts ou aux
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le www.city.kawarthalakes.on.ca. Vous y trouverez des renseignements complets.
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EN DATE DE CE 2^{ème} JOUR DE SEPTEMBRE 2003



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"The Municipality of Minden Hills invites Bids from interested Design
Builders for the design and construction of a new Municipal Office, to be
constructed in Minden at the end of Prentice Street, as fully described in
the Bid Documents. The Bid Documents are available from the Municipal
Office in Minden beginning at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, August 27, 2003,
and are free of charge for the first two sets. Bids must be received at the
Municipal Office no later than 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 17,
2003.

The Municipality further invites interested Haliburton County subcontractors
to submit their names to the Township so that a register of subcontractors
can be distributed to each Design-Builder bidding the project. Please
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For further information please contact Duncan Ross Architect, Huntsville,
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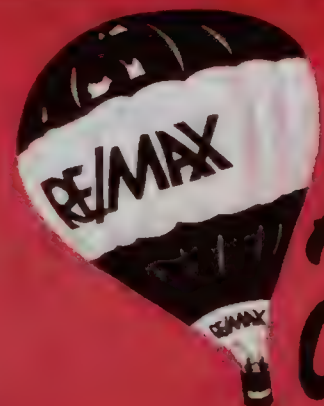
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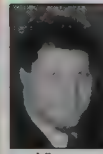
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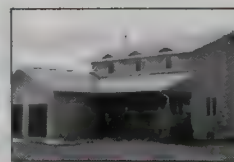
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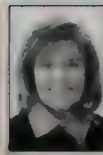


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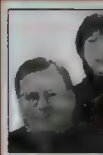
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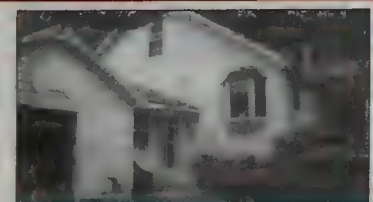
County Road 6 Prime Building lot.
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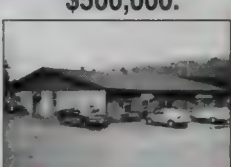
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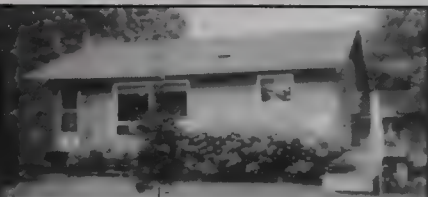
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The 19th Annual Corn Roast for the United Senior Citizens of Ontario, Muskoka-Parry Sound, is September 12 at the Yearley Community Centre at 10 a.m. All you can eat corn, with a hamburger, beverage and dessert. The corn feast begins at 4 p.m. The admission fee is \$4. Lunch can be purchased (hot dog and pop for \$2) or you can bring your own. The event takes place rain or shine - bring a lawn chair. Entertainment includes music, karaoke, square dancing, horseshoes, Texas horseshoes, cards, bingo, contests, a penny sale, fellowship and friendship. Please call Helen Flavell at 705-687-7289 or email Wjflavell@aol.com or call Janeen at 705-766-2314 with approximate numbers.

**DORSET NEWS**

Melissa Alfano
 705-766-0076
 melalfano@hotmail.com

Knox United Church times for the fall and winter will be 9 a.m. There's a Beef Dinner on Saturday, September 13 at the Dwight Community Centre sponsored by the Lake of Bays United Churches. All are welcome. The price is \$12 for adults and \$6 for children. Tickets will be available at the door, with continuous servings from 5 to 7 p.m. The United Church will celebrate Terry Fox Sunday on September 14 with a combined service at the Seabreeze Community Church at the lake on the Seabreeze Road. All are welcome and a pot luck lunch will be served after a walk along the lake.

The Dorset Fire Department 50s and 60s Dance is on Saturday, September 20 see SHARE page 24

Trent Severn water report

The dry weather has contributed to a reduced flow on the Otonabee River, now running near its minimum rate of 17 cubic meters per second (m3/s). This flow is below the long-term average of 32.8 m3/s in August. Storage on the Kawartha, experienced a decrease of about 2% to end the week, now below normal. Efforts to assist with power generation along the Otonabee and Trent Rivers also has caused the lakes to decline more rapidly. The outflow has been reduced to its minimum again to try to slow the loss of stor-

age.

The level of Lake Simcoe/Couchiching has also continued to drop, finishing the week at 218.88m. This level is still higher than usual by about 5 cm for this time of year. The outflow of the lake has been reduced again to near the August normal following the extra flow run for power generation during the "black-out". The flow rate on the Black River dwindled further averaging about 1.6 m3/s for the week, less than half the August normal of 3.8 m3/s.

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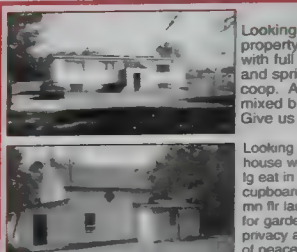
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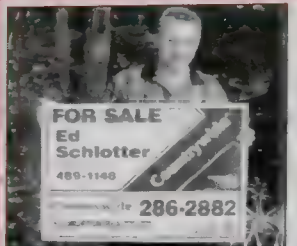
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at the Dorset Rec Centre from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. The cost is \$10 per person (Disc Jockey), so dig out your old saddle shoes and poodle skirts and join the fun. Call Donna Keul at 766-9253 for tickets.

The Dorset Post Office is sponsoring a walk to the Dorset Tower on Sunday, October 5 at 11 a.m. to raise funds for the Canadian Children's Wish Foundation. Participants will walk to the Tower and then have a BBQ. Please help if you can by collecting pledges (even if you aren't participating in the walk). For more information or for a pledge form, please see John at the Post Office. Tax receipts available for pledges over \$10.

The Dorset Fire Department is hosting a Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday, October 12 at the Dorset Rec Centre with two sittings at 4:30 and 6:30 p.m. Adults \$12,

Seniors (60 and over) \$10, Kids (12 and under) are \$6. To reserve tickets, call Donna at 766-9253.

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Birthday wishes for August 31 to September 6 go out to the best husband ever, Joe Alfano, Amy Ross, Murray Ross, Jessica White, Arnold Brown, Andrew Armstrong-Darke, and Happy Anniversary to Arnold and Shirley Brown and Anja and Elmar Henrikson. Have a wonderful day!

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NORMAN LEE and family would like to thank all our friends and neighbours for their gifts and cards, as well as the Ladies Auxiliary for the wonderful lunch put on at the Legion. Everything was greatly appreciated.

THE FAMILY OF the late Murray Hewitt wish to express thanks to all our relatives, friends and neighbours for the food, cards, flowers, donations, money, prayers and support; to Gord Monk for the funeral service, also to Elaine Anderson who was always in the right place at the right time to help us; to the Minden ambulance drivers, to the Minden and Lindsay Hospitals, nurses and doctors, all for great care and concern. To Kirsten, Barry, and the Monk Funeral Home, many thanks for the special comfort and services at this time of sorrow; also, the U.C.W. Ladies for the lovely lunch after the service. Once again, many thanks. We shall not forget. Mabel, A.J., Derinda and families. CA

440 THANK YOU

WE WOULD LIKE to take this opportunity to say thank you from the bottom of our hearts to the fire department, ambulance drivers, doctors and nurses that helped save Mathew on the night of his accident; and to all our family, friends and neighbours for the phone calls, cards, support and hugs that helped us get through this stressful time. A special thanks to Bev and Ruth, Bev and Marlene, the management and staff of the Wigamog, North Steel, and our fellow co-workers for all your help. Matt is improving every day. A thank you seems so little for what you all have given us. With love, Mathew, Don, Cindy and Gavin McElwain.

WE WOULD LIKE to thank all the participants and organizers of the benefit Dart Tournament that was held on Sunday, August 24, at the Dominion Hotel. We would also like to thank the businesses: Dave's Dollar Store, Stedman's, Minden Pharmasave, Gravity Coffee House, Rockcliffe Tavern, Simply Irresistibles, Minden Food Mart, Village Chalet Restaurant, Riverview Furniture, and the Dominion Hotel who donated gifts that helped make the event possible. A very heartfelt thank you to everyone, Gord and Gloria Willoughby.

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"Wish me luck as you wave me goodbye"

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Peacefully at Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay, on Thursday, August 28th, 2003 in her 82nd year, beloved wife of Bruce N. Nesbitt of Minden, dear mother of Kenneth J. (Barbara) of Lindsay, Lennard H. (Mary) of Minden, Lawrence S. (Margaret) RR#1 Haliburton, Evelyn D. (Arthur) Hosken, Minden, and Marilyn L. (Heinz) Huck of Minden. Loving grandmother of 14 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. Dear sister of Frederick and Gail Brown, Jean and John Gould, predeceased by Olive and Mae.

Friends are invited to call at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, 127 Main St., Minden from 2-4 and 7-9 pm Sunday. Funeral Service in the Chapel on Monday, September 1st, 2003 at 1 pm. Interment Bethel Church Cemetery. Memorial donations to the charity of your choice would be appreciated.

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- **Ontario Early Years Centre (Minden)** each Thursday at 11 a.m. for circle time. Songs, games, rhymes and stories for your child! Located behind the Sears Catalogue store. Info. call 286-1770. September's theme is "Funny Farm". Join us this month for activities such as making butter, playing 'pin the tail on the pig', animal crafts and more! Call for times.
- **Monday Night Supper** returns to the Ontario Early Years Centre (Minden). Join us for a nutritious meal and fun activities, cost is a donation. Call 286-1770 to sign up.
- **Our Lady of Fatima Church, Minden** - Mass Times: Sunday at 8:30 a.m. & 10am, Tue. & First Fri. @ 7pm. From Canada Day to Labour Day weekend is 7:30 pm Mass on Sat.
- **St. Patrick's Church, Kinmount** - Mass Times: Sat. @ 6pm, Sun. @ 11:30am & Fri @ 11am.
- **Join the Walking Club**, Weekday morning walks sponsored by the Haliburton Chapter of the Heart and Stroke Foundation. Walk from 7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. at Archie Stouffer Elementary School. For more information call Morris Duff at 286-6079.
- **The Haliburton Highlands Prostate Cancer Support Group** meets the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m., in the Fireside lounge at the Hyland Crest Senior Citizen's Home in Minden. For info., please call Rick Ratcliff at 286-6699 or email: leacliff@sympatico.ca.
- **ONTARIO BREAST SCREENING PROGRAM** for women 50 years and over, screening on Thursdays and Fridays at Ross Memorial Hospital. No doctor referral necessary. Call Monday to Friday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for an appointment. 705-328-6175
- **TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)** has arrived in Haliburton. Join us at The Home Support Drop-In Centre (behind the Home Hardware). Every Wed. - Weigh in: 10 a.m. followed by a short meeting. For further information please call Donna Medland 754-4464.
- **Every Thursday:** 12 noon Haliburton Highlands Senior Citizen Club weekly luncheon at Haliburton Legion. Join us for good food, fun and fellowship.
- **Guided Meditation** Sunday evenings from 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. at the Trinity Centre located at The Hair Lounge in Carnarvon.
- **Home Support** still has tickets available for the upcoming bus trips going to Orillia to see A Tribute to Vera Lynn and our overnight trip to Stratford and St. Jacobs. Call Sheri for more info 457-2941.
- **Haliburton County Home Support** has an ongoing Treasure Table in the Drop in Center. We appreciate any donations...please no clothing. For more info 705-457-2941.
- **Haliburton County Home Support** has volunteers just waiting to give seniors 55+ or physically disabled adults a SECURITY CHECK PHONE CALL. If you know of anyone who needs a phone call once a day, please call Judy at 457-2941.
- Women experiencing abuse, call **YWCA Crisis Line** 457-3355/ 1-800-461-7656.
- **Haliburton County Home Support** is looking for some dedicated Volunteer Drivers to take clients to medical appointments in and out of Haliburton County.
- **September 3:** The Laryngectomy and Family Support Group welcomes laryngectomees and their families to its monthly meeting from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. at the Canadian Cancer Society at 727 Lansdowne St W in Peterborough, ON. Please feel free to contact CCS at 705-742-3823 or Jim Riel at 705-745-3178.
- **September 4:** The Alzheimer Society of Victoria County family support group meets Thursday, Sept. 4, 10:30 a.m. at the Kinmount and District Health Centre, lower level. Open group. Satellite: Same location weekly Thursdays, time: 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- **September 4:** L.I.F.T. Ladies in Fellowship Together, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m., West Guilford Recreation Centre. Theme: "The Old and The New". Speaker: Sherri Packard, Minden. Music: Melissa Guyatt. Special feature: Paulette Blake, "Out of Time Antiques and Nostalgia", Haliburton. Now wheelchair accessible. Info. call Lyn, 457-3155 or Alice, 754-2808.
- **September 6:** Harvest Quilts Show. 10am to 5pm Saturday and Sunday at the Kawartha Settler's Village. Call (705) 738-5730 Anne Cleland. r.a.cleland@sympatico.ca for info.
- **September 8:** 7:30 p.m. an Ecumenical Bible Study will meet at St. Paul's Church in Minden. This will be a six week study on the Gospel of Mathew. Please call Emily Skinner @ 286-6872 to register.
- **September 8, 10, 12:** 3 Folk Art classes for beginner, intermediate and advanced at Kawartha Settlers Village in Bobcaygeon. 9am to 12pm - 12 weeks. Carole (705) 738-2502.
- **September 9:** H.H. Handweavers & Spinners meeting at 1:30 p.m. at Pritchard House, next to the Minden Post Office. For more info. call 286-3310.
- **September 10:** Beginners Watercolour class at Kawartha Settlers' Village in Bobcaygeon. 9am to 12pm - 6 weeks. Call Len (705) 738-5707.
- **September 10:** The regular meeting of the Haliburton Highlands Genealogy Group will start @ 6pm, upstairs at the Minden Legion. The speaker at 7pm will be HHGG member Ray Nobles UE, who will describe how he proved his United Empire Loyalist ancestry. Refreshments. Bring & Win Raffle. For more info contact Gail Leach-Wunker @ 286-2225.
- **September 16:** Alzheimer Society Support Groups @ Alzheimer Office in Haliburton. 1 pm - 2:30 pm. Caregiver Education Topic: Caregiver Stress. Call Janet Bottum 457-8335.
- **September 16:** Alzheimer Society Support Groups- At the Alzheimer Office in Haliburton. 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Adult Child Group. Please contact Janet Bottum, 457-8335.
- **September 25:** Alzheimer Society Support Groups- At the Hyland Crest in Minden. 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. Caregiver Education Topic: Caregiver Stress. Contact Janet Bottum, support services coordinator 457-8335.

Events listings are provided **FREE** for non-profit groups on a space-available basis. While we endeavor to accommodate requests for publication, we cannot guarantee that all requests for listings will appear. Requests should be faxed to The Times at 286-4768, emailed to editor@mindentimes.on.ca, or brought in to the office. **NOTE:** This calendar is **NOT A COMPREHENSIVE LISTING OF ALL EVENTS** taking place in the area. Please check the classified pages, display advertising and articles appearing elsewhere in The Times for more information on events and in the Highlands.

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